



Consulate General of Italy
Johannesburg

Italy – VISTO D PER RICERCA (RESEARCH) checklist

Price of visa is 116.00 Euros (equivalent to current exchange rate visa price)

List of supporting documents

Dear applicant,

Thank you for your interest in applying for a visa for Italy. The following information is provided to assist you in lodging your application. You are encouraged to read it carefully and take note of all the information provided. It is important for you to do so, as failure to provide any required documents may affect the processing of your application.

You should lodge your application when you have all the required documents as detailed below.

Applicant's Name:	
Application tracking number:	

Please prepare your documents in the following order

	DOCUMENTS	DESCRIPTION	ATTACHED		OFFICIALS' NOTES
			YES	NO	
1	Passport (LS)	Must have a validity of at least 6 months prior to the returning date and 3 blank pages.			
2	Italian National D visa application Form				
3	Color ID Photos (x2)	Can be done at VFS Global for an extra fee (check list)			
4	Photocopy of passport				
5	Photocopy of all previous visas				
6	Proof of Transport (LS)	Confirmed air ticket, or other mode of transport, proving the arrival into Italy.			
7	NULLA OSTA	Authorization issued for research from the relevant SUI office for stay of longer than 3 months			
8	Travel Insurance (LS)	Must be: - valid for the entire Schengen area - valid for the duration of the stay; - cover for a minimum of 30.000 Euros; For long stays a minimum 30 days policy is necessary awaiting for the registration of the residence permit.			
9	Documents	Certifying applicant is a researcher employed by foreign University or research Institution			

10	Host Agreement	Concluded with the applicant by the Italian accredited University or Research Institute			
11	Proof of payment	Copy of VFS's receipt			